Sweet Earth Natural Foods Issues Voluntary Recall of Mispackaged Big Sur Burritos That Contain the Santa Cruz Burrito: Potential Allergy Concern for Those with Milk Allergy

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Contact Consumers Sweet Earth Natural Foods

1-831-741-4569, 1-310-613-4751, or 1-831-375-8673

Announcement

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Sweet Earth Natural Foods is voluntarily recalling its Big Sur Burrito, 7 oz, due to a packaging error. As a result, a small number of these products contain an undeclared milk allergen. The precautionary recall was necessitated when it was discovered that a small quantity of Santa Cruz Burritos were packaged into Big Sur Burrito pouches. The Santa Cruz Burrito contains milk in the form of cheese, which is not listed as an allergen on the Big Sur Burrito pouch, therefore posing a potential risk to people who have an allergy to milk.

In some individuals the consumption of milk could present a serious or life-threatening allergic reaction.

These retail products were distributed nationwide from our manufacturing facility between the dates of March 30, 2016 and May 6, 2016.

Big Sur Burrito 7 oz B	Burrito UPC, 7 oz Unit #016741111127 UPC, 12-pack Case #016741111134	Lot 6090 Best By 3/30/2017
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There have been no confirmed reports of adverse reactions due to consumption of this product.

Consumers who have purchased this product, Big Sur Lot 6090, are urged to discard of any product and contact Sweet Earth, Inc. for a full refund. Consumers with questions may contact the company at 1-831-741-4569, 1-310-613-4751, or 1-831-375-8673, Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM PST.

* We believe that none of the products being recalled were processed or offered through the national office.

- * We strongly encourage you to notify your agencies within one business day from receipt of this notice.
- * ALL cased and uncased inventories, both at the member level and agency level, need to be checked. This product may have entered member and agency warehouses through salvage, local donations, TEFAP, local purchases, retail pickups, food drives, or other avenues.
- * For additional local details, please contact the Health Department(s) for the area(s) your food bank serves.

For full details on the recall, please

visit: http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm504006.htm?source=govdelivery&utm_medium=email&utm_source=govdelivery

If you have questions, please contact Wayne Melichar, Food Safety Manager, at wmelichar@feedingamerica.org or 312.629.7263.